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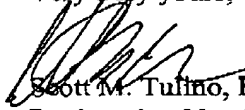
Re: Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 10/662,340
Our Ref. No.: NGB.293

Dear Examiner Dote:

Attached for filing is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, which should place the above-identified Application in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Junji Kobayashi, et al.

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Filed: September 16, 2003 Examiner: Janis L. Dote

For: ELECTROSTATIC CHARGE IMAGE DEVELOPING TONER AND
IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 12, 2007, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on
page 2 of this paper. No new matter has been added.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.